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Justin Frazer served as a pharmacy student representative on the Student Health Alliance Reaching Indigent Needy Groups (SHARING) board through the 2001-2002 period. The Board is chosen by students on an annual basis and is composed of nine medical students, a nurse practitioner student, two pharmacy students, and a medical technology student. Emphasis is placed on effective group dynamics and multidisciplinary teamwork. The board meets every two weeks throughout the year to direct the business activities of the clinic. Responsibilities of the various board members include: student, translator, preceptor recruitment, fund raising, medication procurement, promotion, and clinic management. Each of the Board members will individually "manage" the clinic during the year and ensure that it runs smoothly while adjusting to the changing needs of the patients.

Justin was a very productive member of the board. He was instrumental in the development of several pharmacy related activities for the SHARING Clinic. He and the other pharmacy representative started a formulary for the clinic. He helped organize the medication sample supply that includes a computerized inventory system for tracking sample usage. While Justin served on the board the SHARING group expanded its operation to include a screening clinic for sexually transmitted diseases (the RESPECT clinic) and they laid the foundation for the development of a diabetes management clinic (the GOODLIFE clinic) which accepted its first patients in the fall of 2002. Justin's volunteer efforts helped to guide the many pharmacy students to take part in this experience. He and the other pharmacy representative also worked with local pharmacies to provide free influenza vaccine for use at the clinic.

Each week one board member serves as the clinic's manager. This individual directs the clinic assigning students to see patients, insuring that medical and pharmacy preceptors are in place, coordinating laboratory test orders and follow up visits, and assuring that all patient charting procedures are completed. Justin was outstanding as a clinic manager. He was organized, showed good judgment and treated everyone in a very professional manner. Justin often substituted as the clinic manager when other students had conflicts.

His efforts at the SHARING clinic were rewarded in part by his selection as a pharmacy resident in ambulatory care in Wisconsin starting in July of 2003.